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Dan Glickman Secretary of Agriculture US Department of Agriculture 200 A Whitten Building 1400 Independence Ave. SW Washington DC 20250

Dear Mr. Glickman:

As parents, citizens and taxpayers, we are very concerned about the rapidly developing trend toward genetic modification of our food supply as well as the wholesale inclusion of antibiotics in the food supply. Specifically we're concerned with two issues, safety and the right to choose.

To make intelligent decisions as a consumer, we need information about what's in the food out family eats. We were shocked to learn recently that almost all milk products in this country contain Bovine Growth Hormone (BGH).

We demand that all dairy and meat products containing BGH be clearly labeled. Also all food products containing genetically modified ingredients should be clearly labeled.

Sincerely,

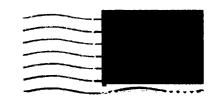
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CC: Jane E. Henney, Commissioner, Food and Drug Admin. Rod Blagojevich, Congressman, Illinois 5<sup>th</sup> district.

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